A Bachelor's Prayer

Backward, turn backward, O Time, in your flight!
Give us a maiden with skirts not so tight;
Give us a girl whose charms, many or few,
Are not exposed by much peek a-boo.
Give us a maiden, no matter what age,
Who won't use the street for a vaudeville stage;
Give us a girl not so sharply in view;
Dress her in skirts that the sun won't shine through.
Then give us the dances of long gone by;
With plenty of clothes and steps not so high;
Oust turkey-trot capers and buttermilk glides,
The hurdy-gurd twist and the wiggletail slide;
Then let us feast our tired optics once more
On a genuine woman as sweet as of yore.
Yes, Time, please turn backward and grant our request
For God's richest blessing—but not one undressed.

—Wyoming Mountaineer.

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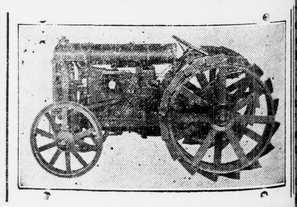

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Sad Drowning

The hearts of the people of [illegible] village were shocked and grieved when on last Thursday the sad intelligence was received here of the tragic death of Julian Braxton Gills. He was one of a house party at Colaby, where his brother, [illegible], who was married only a week before, had leased a cottage.

While diving, with others, from a barge on New river, he was drowned, in spite of heroic efforts to rescue him. Quitman Gills, a youth of fifteen years, gave his life in a vain attempt to rescue him.

Julian had just passed his twentieth birthday and was a splendid specimen of young manhood. He graduated from the Appomattox Agricultural High School in the class of 1918. Afterwards he attended Virginia Military Institute until he was forced to leave on account of his eyesight. It was on this account that he accepted the out-of-doors position with the Appalachian Power Company, from which he held at the time of his death.

Julian was the son of Mr and Mrs. R. E. Gills who, with the following brothers and one sister—Robert, James, Teddie, [illegible] Louise Gills—survive to mourn his death.

His grave was beautified with many lovely flowers, tributes of love from many friends. Floral offerings were shipped here for interment, where he was laid.

Lynchburg Fair and Races

The Lynchburg Fair and Races, Sept. 28, 29, 30, and October 1 [illegible] Premiums for exhibits can be sent in by mail. If you have not received a premium list, send your name and address on a postal card to F. A. Lovelock, Secretary. Fine racing program in addition. Large exhibits in all departments. Sensational and entertaining free acts; balloon ascensions, fireworks at night, Midway and riding devices furnished by Rubin Cherry Shows traveling in their own train of 30 cars. Reduced rates on all railroads.

Sunday School Convention

The Sunday School Convention [illegible] held here yesterday in the courthouse and W. B. Harvey elected president of South district and R. C. Wagner and B. G. Anderson were made [illegible]. The meeting will continue again at Central church all day service on the 18th [illegible]. You are invited to bring a lunch basket.

Mr. J. Wentworth Dead

Mr. H. J. Wentworth, who came to this county a few years ago from Brooklyn, N. Y., died at his home near here Saturday. His remains were shipped for burial and ship to his old home in Brooklyn for interment today. The deceased had been in bad health for many years, and was about 60 years of age. He had many friends here by his quiet life and there is general regret at his death.

Country That God Forgot

[illegible] notable picture will be presented at Appomattox, Wednesday, September 4, 7:30 p. m. and 10 p. m. This grand best picture is a great story of Western frontier and Man's Love for Woman. 2 reel comedy which is said to be the Don't fail to come.

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Sale of Primings

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Mrs. Ida Woodward is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Burge.

Billy Abbitt is sick at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cheatham spent several days' vacation in Lynchburg last week.

Rev. J. H. Gordon will preach at Hollywood Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Anna Vries, of Petersburg, is the guest of Miss Virginia Hancock.

Mrs. T. F. Coleman, of Vera, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Harvey, here.

For Sale—Ten head of horses and mules—will trade for cattle
8-25 2t J. O. O'BRIEN.

The first car of tomatoes from our cannery is being loaded today

Mrs. Bass has returned to Lynchburg, after spending the summer months here at the New Appomattox Hotel.

Mr. Jack Franklin, of Lynchburg, has been visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hancock.

Miss Louise Jamerson will leave next week for her school duties at Toano, in James City county.

Shearer Bros., Lynchburg, quote some attractive prices on men's and boys' suits in their ad in this paper.

There will be Sunday school institute at New Hope church beginning Sunday night, September 5, and lasting through the week.

Mr. S. T. Hamilton returned to his home in Huntington, W. Va., Tuesday, after spending his vacation with his daughter, Mrs. Joel W. Jenkins.

Attention is called to the Public sale on the 11th of September of Mrs. Florence W. Carson at her residence near Stonewall at 10 o'clock a. m.

Prof. and Mrs. Havilah Babcock and baby went to Elon College Saturday, where Mr Babcock will teach the coming session.

If you receive a sample copy of this paper it is an invitation for you to become a subscriber. One year, $1 50; six months, 75c; four months, 50c.

Notice hand bills of public sale of all personal property and fine farm of Thos. H Babcock, three miles north of Appomattox, on September 4th at 11 a. m. 8 25-2w

Messrs. J. L. O'Brien and S. B. Betts have returned from Southern Georgia tobacco markets. Mr. Betts will again manage the Appomattox Tobacco Warehouse this season

Our readers miss the bright and breezy news letters of our Hixburg correspondent. We hope he will soon see fit to "take his pen in hand" and resume his duties as a correspondent of the county paper.

Appomattox is in danger of losing her popular blacksmith and wheelwright, D. R. Puckett, as he says he cannot find a location here for his business; the present owner of the lot where he is now located is going to fence in the property

The continued rains have greatly interfered with work on the new Appomattox tobacco factory, though Contractors Brown & Smith have made remarkable progress with the work, considering the adverse circumstances.

Twenty four cases were before Justice T. W. Moses on Saturday for not having their dog license on or before July 1. All carried fines and cost of $10 25 C. A. Hancock appealed his case to the circuit court. The officers are enforcing the law as directed by the attorney-general.

Sugar is retailing at 15 cents pound in the city of Washington, and the decline is general throughout the United States. Jobbers who hogged the market and bought heavily some months ago are forced to sell at a loss, and rightly, since it was bought with the intention of fleecing the public on the then rising market. Ten-cent sugar is predicted before the end of the year.

Twenty of our citizens became guarantors for a grand Chautauqua for Appomattox this fall. There will be six entertainments and season tickets are now being sold for $1 50 for adults and $1.00 for children. This is the very highest class of entertainment that could come to any town and we congratulate the people of Appomattox in having twenty citizens who are willing to provide such a program.

My Dear Sweet Old Maid, will you please register?

Mrs. G. V. Campbell is on a visit to her mother here.

LeRoy Smith is the happiest man in town—one boy.

Miss Alcise Kelley, of New York, is visiting Mrs. C. W. Hancock.

Miss Alice Norman Cheatham visited friends at Pedlar Mills and Crewe last week.

Mr. H G Smith spent the week end with his sister, Miss Emma Smith.

Nathan Hancock, who is in hospital at Baltimore, Md, is said to be dangerously ill.

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Rev and Mrs. D P. Rogers, of Amelia C. H., have returned from a visit to Mrs. D. E Caldwell.

The watermelons and cantaloupes are here in great quantities and the quality is much above the average.

Mrs. Annie Roberts and her son, Warren, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Lottie Bledsoe, at "Allendale."

Mr. W. D. Browning, of Richmond, is on a visit to his wife and children at Miss Clara Caldwell's.

Mr. Joe LeGrand has opened a meat shop at Appomattox. We now have two butchers and ought to be well-fed.

Mrs. R C. Mann has returned from a stay of some weeks in Lynchburg hospital She hopes that her health is improved

Messrs. Charlie Mann, of Petersburg, and Harry Traylor, of Newport News, are visitors at the home of Hon. S. L. Ferguson.

Mrs S. L. Ferguson has returned from Petersburg, where she attended the funeral of her cousin, Mr. H. V. Parham He was prominent in Masonic and other orders and was a widely known citizen.

Jesse Davidson, the 10-year-old son of M. F. Davidson, died here Sunday of fever. His remains were interred at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Williams. The child had been sick about three weeks.

The school here will open on the 13th of September, which is Monday. Get in harness, kid, Professor Crawley is looking for you. The other schools of the county will open in October and will run for seven months if funds hold out.

Much tobacco is being cut, and the sale of primings so far is very discouraging to the farmers. Farmers will not produce tobacco at a price below the cost of production.

Mrs. S L Ferguson is the first lady in Appomattox to qualify to vote. Call on E. R Abbitt, commissioner, and he will assess you, but you had better pay the $1.50 capitation tax in person to the treasurer.

Lynching negroes seems now to be a popular pastime in all parts of the country. Two have met their fate at the hands of Judge Lynch in North Carolina within the past few weeks—for the usual crime, the victim of one of the brutes being a six year old girl.

TOO MANY HUMAN "ISLANDS"

Lack Power of Expression to Communicate Thoughts So That Others Can Understand.

You are a human island, if you cannot express your thoughts so others can understand them, says Ruth Jocelyn Wattles of the Colorado agricultural college. If your mood is one of appreciation of grandeur and beauty, and you say, "Gee, ain't it gorgeous?" If in gazing at the Grand canon, you say, "Ain't it cute?" you are not in communication with your fellows; you are an island, a man entirely surrounded by men, but not in connection with them.

If in speaking to a group of soldiers you discuss, "that combination of proteins, albumens and other food substances which scientists have determined is the most conducive to health and vigor," your connection is poor. Say "chow" or "mess" if your aim is to be understood.

If you have no adjective but "awful" to apply to a dinner, a mountain, a hat, an accident, the new styles, the European war, your wires are down. You cannot express thoughts on all these subjects to your fellow humans by use of the one word "awful." If it is your only adjective, keep quiet; your silence may indicate an appreciation which your one adjective fails to express.

Are your wires down? Are you an island?

Will Not Let Women Pay.

K. U. men are hopelessly old-fashioned. The 50-50 idea, that is, that a girl pay for half the treats, which was started recently in an eastern university, did not appeal to them when it was discussed the other day.

A woman may work and by her efficiency earn as much as a man, but if she pay for one-half the treats she takes away the divine right of man, opinion had it.

Pride was not the only thing that influenced them. A man must shoulder responsibility through life so it is well for him to start early. The idea of protection of women extends even to paying for the sundaes she consumes.

It was the general opinion that if girls would realize that the resources of most men are not unlimited, there would not be any occasion for thinking about this matter.—Summer Session Kansan.

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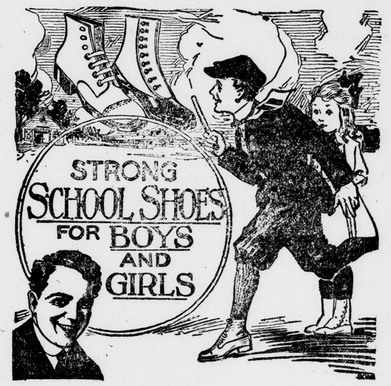

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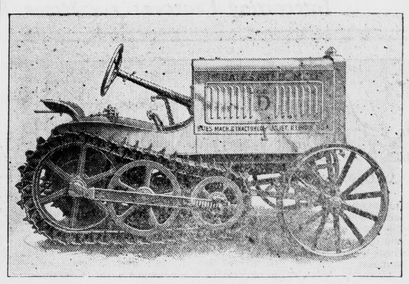

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